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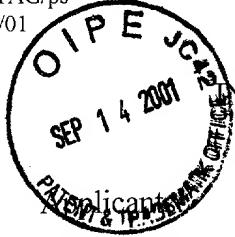
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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR IMPLEMENTING SOURCE  
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In reply to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated July 26, 2001, requesting submission of substitute drawings, please find enclosed 21 sheets of substitute drawings consisting of Figs. 1- 5, 6A-B, 7A-B, 8A-B, 9, 10, 11A-F, 12-15 for filing in the above-captioned application. A copy of the Notice is attached.

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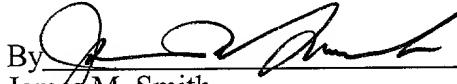
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